

Library Programs

The Capital Area District Library is located within Foster Community Center, 200 N. Foster Avenue, 485-5185. All programs are free and open to the public.

GREAT LIBRARY CARD EXTRAVAGANZA

Show your card or get a new one and receive a small prize, plus go into a drawing for other prizes provided by the Friends of Lansing Libraries.

9/18	Sat	1-5 pm
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BABIES AND BOOKS (Ages 6-18 months)

Children and their caregivers will enjoy stories, fingerplays, and songs while interacting with each other. Limited enrollment. Advance registration is required by calling Foster Library at 485-5185. 7 sessions

9/23-11/4	Thu	10:30 am
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TODDLER STORY TIME (Ages 18-36 month's w/Adult)

Each session consists of stories, a fingerplay or song and a simple craft. The adult must stay with the child. Limited enrollment. Advance registration is required by calling the Foster Library at 485-5185. 8 sessions.

9/22-11/10	Wed	9:30 am
9/22-11/10	Wed	10:30 am

PRESCHOOL STORY TIME (Ages 3-5)

Each session includes stories, songs, fingerplays, and a simple craft. Limited enrollment. Advance registration is required by calling Foster Library at 485-5185. 8 sessions.

9/21-11/9	Tue	10 am
9/22-11/10	Wed	1:30 pm

THANKSGIVING AND HOLIDAY STORY TIMES

Toddlers (18-36 months)	11/17	Wed	10 am
	12/15	Wed	10 am
Preschool (3-5)	11/16	Tue	10 am
	12/14	Tue	10 am
	11/17	Wed	1:30 pm
	12/15	Wed	1:30 pm

DROP-IN LEGO CLUB (Ages 6 and up)

Stop in once a month to build with our Legos.

9/20, 10/18, 11/15, 12/20	Mon	4-5:30 pm
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POPCORN AND PAGES (3rd grade and up)

A book group for the younger set. Enjoy snacks while we talk about favorite books.

9/8, 10/13, 11/10, 12/8	Wed	4-5 pm
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TEEN BOOK GROUP (Ages 11 and up)

Books, snacks, crafts – what could be better?

9/14, 10/12, 11/9, 12/14	Tue	4-5 pm
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YES, YOU CAN RECYCLE (Adults)

Learn from an expert how to work recycling into your life to benefit your home and the environment.

10/13	Wed	6 pm
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ADULT BOOK DISCUSSION GROUPS

Meet with other readers and talk about books. Groups meet monthly on the 1st Wednesday of the month at 7 pm or the 1st Thursday of the month at 1 pm. Books are available through the library – no purchase is necessary. Call 485-5185 for title information.

On-Line Classes

Read lessons, participate in exercises, and hold live interactive discussions with instructor and fellow students in your on-line classroom. Each course runs for 6 weeks, is in an independent learning format and is self-paced.

Complete the lessons at your own timetable. Course requirements include intermediate PC skills. For more information visit www.gsinet.org. Be sure to include your email with registration. We accept late enrollments, for as long as two weeks into the semester. Students don't have to be available at any specific time. The classroom is open 24 hours per day.

THE SECRET TO DEALING WITH OVERLOAD

You can live a life that is both effective and gratifying by learning how to clear away your mental clutter. This class provides powerful tools to help you find inner balance and emotional freedom, while moving ahead with certainty about what needs to be done next.

Activity #150270W	9/28-11/12	\$74
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TELECOMMUTING-WORKING FROM HOME

Topics include: Kinds of telecommuting jobs most in demand - What pay/benefits to expect - How to identify telecommuting friendly companies - Skills you will need - Marketing yourself - How to become an insider - Spotting the scams. No instant jobs here, just solid self-promotion techniques. Instructor Gary Fugere.

Activity# 150270D	9/28-11/12	\$47
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HOW TO EARN A LIVING FREELANCING

This online class provides mentoring and step-by-step techniques and strategies to achieve success. Topics Include: Who hires freelancers - What skills do you need - Finding the work - The hot markets - How to market yourself - How to establish your fees - Tax deductions - How to get started - How to incorporate for under \$50! This is not a construction class.

Activity #150270N	9/28-11/12	\$67
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HOW TO START AN INTERNET BUSINESS

Topics include: Identifying web businesses that do well - How to conduct market research on your idea - Adding shopping carts and secure shopping for free - Get your Web site online - Strategies on getting others to pay you for advertising - How to bring traffic to your site - Winning the search engine game. No additional fee or purchases will be necessary to complete your project. Instructor Gary Fugere.

Activity# 150270A	9/28-11/12	\$67
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WOMEN AND MONEY-TAKING CHARGE

Topics include: Attitude and money - Reducing debt - Understanding stocks, bonds and mutual funds - Crafting your own financial plan - Saving for the kids and for higher education - Planning for retirement, including the tax law changes that might affect you in the future - Where to go for reliable investment information.

Activity #150270C	9/28-11/12	\$47
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